

MS AF REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE **EXAMINING GROUP 1616**

PATENT 3920-0103P

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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LARGE ENTITY TRANSMITTAL FORM FOR REPLY AFTER FINAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment Under 37 CFR 1.116 in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	·	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL	28	-	44	=	0	\$ 18	\$0.00
INDEPENDENT	4	_	6	=	0	\$ 86	\$0.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM						\$290	\$0.00
						TOTAL	\$0.00

	Petition for two (2) month(s) extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17 and 1.136(a). \$310.00 for an additional one month extension of time of enclosed.
	No fee is required.
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If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 or 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

\$0.00. This form is submitted in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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